GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF HIGH SPEED GOODS TRAINS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Anwar Hoda Committee on Maintenance and Operation of High Speed Goods Train with private sector investment has submitted its report to the Railways;

(b) If so, the salient features thereof;

(c) Whether the recommendations of the said committee have been examined by the Railways; and

(d) If so, the further action taken by the Railways thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R.VELU)

(a) No, Sir. However, a Task Force under Shri Anwar-ul-Hoda was set up to prepare concept paper on Dedicated Freight Corridor Project. No recommendation pertains to maintenance and operation of high-speed goods trains.

(b) to (d) Do not arise